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Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: **LONZA INC.**

Internal Address:

Street Address: **17-17 Route 208**

City: **Fair Lawn** State or Country: **New Jersey** Zip: **07410**

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described in the application filed in the U.S. Patent and Trade-mark Office on September 21, 1999, under Serial No. 09/400,654; and

WHEREAS, Lonza Inc., a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York and having offices and doing business at 17-17 Route 208, Fair Lawn, New Jersey 07410 and elsewhere, hereinbelow called "Assignee", is desirous of securing the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid by the said Assignee, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said Assignor, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in and to the said invention, application and Letters Patent, when granted, and in and to any divisions, continuations, improvements, reissues or extensions that may be made or granted on any of them;

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that I have signed this document as my own free act and that all of the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: 11/16/99



PETER C. NIRCHIO, Inventor